DDA Housing SCAM

12403. SHRI RAMA SHANKER KAUSHJK: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have restored the services of some of the officials who were suspended due to their involvement in the DDA's housing scam;

(b) whether it is a fact that action was taken only against the junior officials while no action was taken against the higher officials; and

(c) if so, the reasons therefor and why services of such suspended officials have been restored without getting clearance from CBI?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA): (a) to (c) On the basis of a prima facie enquiry by DDA and also on the basis of report of CBI and Crime Branch of Delhi Police regarding alleged irregularities in restoration of flats in SFS and EHS Schemes, respectively, the DDA had suspended 15 officials so far. The cases are under investigation of the Crime Branch of Delhi Police and CBI. As some of the suspended officials made representations for reinstatement, the matter was referred to the CBI for comments/status of investigation. On receipt of CBI report, the matter regarding reinstatement was referred to the Central Vigilance Commission (CVC). The CVC advised that since it is an administrative matter, the competent authority may take a decision. Keeping all the facts in view, the disciplinary authority of DDA decided to reinstate one of the suspended officials.

Timing of water supply in sector-II, R.K. Puram

† 2404. SHRI LAJPAT RAI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details regarding the timing of supply of water in Government quarters Sector-II, R.K. Puram;

(b) whether the timing of supply o^ water is 1.30 P.M. to 5.00 P.M. in the evening and 1.30 A.M. to 5.00 A.M. in the morning;

(c) if so, whether the said timing has been fixed keeping in view the convenience of the allottees;

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† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.